

PATENT  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: ) PATENT APPLICATION  
Inventors: Barry S. McAuliffe, et al. )  
Application No.: 10/074,386 ) Examiner: Arthur D. Duran  
Filed: February 12, 2002 ) Art Unit: 3622  
Title: Manufacturer Incentive System ) Confirmation No.: 5570

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**BEST RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner of Patents  
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### Introductory Comments:

In response to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action mailed December 21, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

A Petition for Extension of Time is requested for a reply within the third month extension of time and the fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) is electronically submitted herewith.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.